

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
*ex rel.* JESSE M. POLANSKY, M.D.,  
M.P.H.,

Plaintiffs

v.

GEISINGER HOLY SPIRIT;  
GEISINGER COMMUNITY  
MEDICAL CENTER; GEISINGER  
MEDICAL CENTER; SPIRIT  
PHYSICIAN SERVICES, INC.,

Defendants.

FILED *EX PARTE*  
UNDER SEAL

Civil No. 20-CV-599

(Judge Conner)

**ORDER**

The United States having declined to intervene in this action pursuant to the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3730(b)(4)(B), the Court rules as follows:

IT IS ORDERED that,

1. the complaint be unsealed and served on the defendant by the relator;
2. all other contents of the Court's file in this action remain under seal and not be made public or served on the defendant, except for this

Order and The Government's Notice of Election to Decline Intervention, which the relator will serve on the defendant only after service of the complaint;

3. the seal be lifted as to all other matters occurring in this action after the date of this Order;

4. the parties shall serve all pleadings and motions filed in this action, including supporting memoranda, on the United States, as provided for in 31 U.S.C. § 3730(c)(3). The United States may order any deposition transcripts and is entitled to intervene in this action, for good cause, at any time;

5. the parties shall serve all notices of appeal on the United States;

6. all orders of this Court shall be sent to the United States; and that

7. should the relator or the defendant propose that this action be dismissed, settled, or otherwise discontinued, the Court will solicit the written consent of the United States before ruling or granting its approval.

IT IS SO ORDERED,

This 30th day of November, 2023

/s/ Christopher C. Conner  
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CHRISTOPHER C. CONNER  
United States District Judge